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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:	:	Docket No. 6611-0001
VINCENT T. KOZYRSKI et al.	:	Date: 17 October 2005
Serial No.: 09/822,136	:	Group Art Unit: 3742
Filed On: 30 March 2001	:	Examiner: J. Prone
TITLE: ROTARY CUTTER		

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Applicants offer the following response to the Non-final Office Action of 6/16/05, having a period of response that expires on 9/16/05, to which a one month extension is respectfully requested. The one-month date falls on Sunday, 10/16/05. Consequently the present response submitted on 10/17/05 is within the first month. Claims 1, 4-6, 13 and 25-30 are pending and rejected.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

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